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OVER-SPEED PROTECTION

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 13, 2002, and made final, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please delete the paragraph beginning on page 2 at line 24 and ending on page 2 at line 25, and replace with the following replacement paragraph:

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Figure 2 is a schematic illustration of a portion of the engine shown in Figure 1 including a fuel system interface receiving a electrically-originated overspeed signal;

Please delete the paragraphs beginning on page 3 at line 1 and ending on page 3 at line 4, and replace with the following replacement paragraphs:

Figure 4 is a schematic illustration of the fuel system interface shown in Figure 2 receiving a mechanically-originated overspeed signal; and

Figure 5 is a schematic illustration of the fuel system interface shown in Figure 2 receiving a hydraulically-originated overspeed signal.